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# BIG NEWS FOR GARDEN FOLKS

## BOXWOOD



## BREVITIES

A Ringing Call to All who love beautiful gardens to participate in a Great Sale of Old English Boxwood --- a Great Collection assembled for your convenient selection --- a Great Service guaranteeing satisfactory plants and planting.

You can absolutely find here the Boxwood that you want, whether it is Big Specimen or Trees, Hedges or Small Edging Plants. You can get it in better quality; you can get it at a lower price; you can get better service than you can reasonably expect to find elsewhere.

All of our experience indicates to us that now is the time to plant Boxwood.



BOXWOOD PLANTING  
... BY ...  
CONWELL

Our client writes,  
"A source of continuous delight  
to our family"



Pictures and New Prices

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# THESE FOLKS BOUGHT BOXWOOD FROM US---THEY ARE GLAD THEY DID---THEY SAY SO

It was beautiful, healthy and vigorous when it was planted, it still is, and of course each year as it mellows with age it blends more into the finished picture



Matched pairs of these century-old plants placed on either side of a doorway add that inimitable atmosphere of hospitality to any estate; skillfully used in garden plantings - it brings the grace and grandeur and romance of generations past within a modern garden wall.



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the  
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For the quaint, home-like atmosphere of an Old English cottage or the formal, geometrically perfect proportions of a French or Italian court - Boxwood lends an enchantment and charm that no other shrub can produce.

## H. ERNEST CONWELL INCORPORATED BOXWOOD NURSERIES MILTON, DELAWARE



To those who love Old English Boxwood:

To the man or woman who has stepped out on a veranda after a rain and has caught that delicate, indescribable fragrance of Old English Boxwood--to those who have seen how perfectly this charming old shrub adapts itself to any setting -- the following news will be of particular interest.

Despite the rising prices of almost everything, we are offering this beautiful Boxwood at more attractive prices than ever for the coming planting season.

Every formation and all sizes of this rare shrub are among this wonderful collection--hedges, matched pairs, foundation plantings, beautiful shaped specimen--all of healthy, heavy, luxuriant foliage.

A great many types are illustrated here. Select the particular type which is suitable for your garden and write giving us the size and shape you wish. You will find our prices surprisingly reasonable, besides, you know, we guarantee all our Boxwood to live and thrive.

We extend to you a cordial invitation to visit the Nursery--to see the largest collection of fine Boxwood in America. By motor--south from Wilmington over the famous duPont Boulevard, through one of the oldest and most interesting sections of Colonial America.

H. ERNEST CONWELL, Inc.



In any setting--for any effect,  
BOXWOOD LENDS AN ADDED CHARM.



## A "Moving" Picture of a Box Tree



For over 70 Years these Trees grew in the Valley of Virginia  
Then in a few days they were



Dug and Ready to Haul



By Truck and Trailer to



Load on Cars, Balls of Earth Securely Braced.  
Foliage Protected by Covers, Sewed on.



Within ten days the trees were growing on an estate in New Jersey

It is something of an accomplishment to meet the exacting standards of those who "just can't find what they want elsewhere" ... and DO find it here.



## LOW BIDDERS ON RECENT GOVERNMENT PLANTINGS OF BOXWOOD

clearly shows that our prices are the best when the sizes and quality of BOXWOOD is definitely specified. Our prices have always been reasonable for the quality we offer and this shows it without a doubt.

The prices bid for the entire job were as follows:

"Nursery A"	\$1525.00
"Nursery B"	1445.00
"Nursery C"	1316.30
H. ERNEST CONWELL, Inc.	1216.00

Let us serve you with the BEST BOXWOOD at the BEST PRICES

Here are more Boxwood Plantings by Conwell



Improved methods of moving cause our Boxwood to start growing immediately. Special covers protect from drying out and damage.

Our Boxwood is FRESH DUG for YOUR order.

For fifteen years our replacements have been less than one-tenth of one per cent

We guarantee our Boxwood will live and thrive.



We gladly furnish to anyone upon request and free of charge any information they may desire regarding the planting and care of Boxwood.



THIS IS AMERICAN HOLLY

We have about 50, the sizes from 4 to 10 ft. high with the same spread. Nursery grown Hollies 3 to 5 ft. high, 1½ to 2 ft. spread.

WRITE FOR DELIVERED PRICES

# Here's the CONWELL BOXWOOD GARDENS in Milton, Delaware

THE LARGEST COLLECTION OF FINE BOXWOOD IN AMERICA

Every Conceivable Size and Shape, the Highest Standard of Quality Always Maintained

It Is a Rare Sight to See  
Acres of Boxwood

Visitors have something to talk  
about when they get back home.

There is certainly no other such  
display of fine Boxwood anywhere  
in the United States.

It is worth coming miles to see.

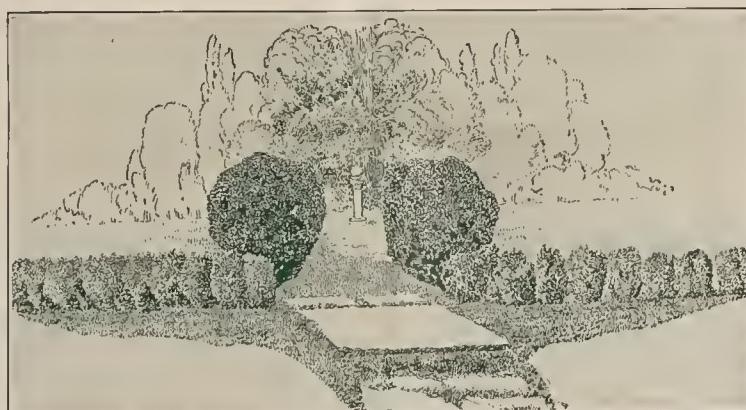


## WE SELL BOXWOOD HEDGES TOO

High or Low, Rough or Smooth, Dwarf or Tree. Good Hedges are scarce but we have them.  
Everything about them is just right, including price.



Old English Boxwood  
(*Buxus Suffruticosa*)



Boxwood Edging



American Boxwood  
(*Buxus Sempervirens*)

## THESE NEW PRICES

are the lowest that Boxwood plants of fine quality have ever been offered. The high standard of quality is rigidly maintained which has earned for our Boxwood an enviable reputation for heavy, dense foliage formation, uniform quality, and hardiness in transplantation. Field grown plants produce heavy root systems insuring thriftiness.

### OLD ENGLISH BOXWOOD

Each plant an individual perfect specimen. The ideal plant for bordering walks, edging flower beds and rose gardens.

Inches high	Inches spread	10 rate each	100 rate each
4- 5	x 3- 4	.25	.15
5- 6	x 4- 5	.30	.20
6- 8	x 5- 6	.40	.30
8-10	x 7- 8	.65	.50
10-12	x 8- 9 B&B	1.20	1.05

### AMERICAN BOXWOOD

Yearly pruning gives our plants their heavy bushy form and heavy compact foliage. Especially suitable for specimen, hedge planting and window boxes. All B. & B.

Inches high	Inches spread	10 rate each	100 rate each	Inches high	10 rate each	100 rate each
9-12	x 8-10	\$0.65	\$0.50	18-21	2.00	1.75
12-15	x 10-11	.85	.65	21-24	2.50	2.25
15-18	x 10-12	1.05	.85	24-28	3.00	2.75
15-18	x 14-16	1.30	1.05	28-32	3.50	3.25
18-21	x 16-18	1.75	1.50	32-36	4.50	4.25
21-24	x 18-29	2.50	2.25			
24-28	x 20-24	3.50	3.00			
				BALLS		
				16x16 inches	2.00	1.75
				18x18 inches	3.00	2.75
				20x20 inches	4.00	3.75
				STANDARDS		
				15-20" stems 16-18" heads	3.50	
				20-22" stems 16-18" heads	4.00	